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MBHB Docket No. 03-617

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For:	Method and System of Compensating Wave Reflection In Transmission Lines	) ns) )	·

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a) Response to Office Action mailed June 19, 2006; and
  - b) Return Receipt Postcard.
- 2. With respect to fees:
  - a) No fee is due at this time.
  - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 13-2490.
- 3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on July 19, 2006.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 19, 2006**

In the Office action mailed June 19, 2006, the Office mailed a Restriction Requirement, requiring restriction of this application to one of four groups, which the Examiner defined as follows:

- I. Embodiment 1: Figure 3, Claims 1-21.
- II. Embodiment 2: Figure 11, Claims 22-24.
- III. Embodiment 3: Figure 6, Claims 25, 32.
- IV. Embodiment 4: Figure 4, Claims 33-35.

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